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Sir:

REQUEST TO ISSUE SUPPLEMENTAL NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY ACKNOWLEDGING FILING OF PRIORITY DOCUMENTS

In the Notice of Allowability accompanying the Notice of Allowance mailed on October 22, 2007, the Examiner failed to acknowledge applicant's claim of priority and applicant's filing of the priority document (i.e., place an "x" in boxes 3., 3.a) and 3.a)1.). However, the Examiner made this acknowledgement in the Office Action dated May 9, 2007 in the Office Action Summary under "Priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119".

Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner issue a Supplemental Notice of Allowability with the priority acknowledged (i.e., with an "x" placed in boxes 3., 3.a) and 3.a)1.) and further that the priority be acknowledged in the patent to issue.

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